

MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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MEMORANDUM

To: The Governing Board

FROM: Joseph T. Edmiston, FAICP, Executive Officer

DATE: November 2, 2005

SUBJECT: Agenda Item VI(d): Consideration of resolution authorizing a request for augmentation of SMM-0466, and acceptance of said augmentation.

<u>Staff Recommendation</u>: That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing a request for augmentation of SMM-0466 in the amount of \$1,230.06, and acceptance of said augmentation.

<u>Background</u>: On August 30, 2004, the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy granted \$17,040 of Proposition 50 funds to the MRCA for improvements to the South Pasadena-Arroyo Seco Woodland and Wildlife Park restoration project. (SMM-0466). The project was completed in October 2004. The MRCA's personnel costs for the project were higher than anticipated because the landscape contractor previously hired to do the bulk of the work required additional supervision for quality control. The MRCA's expenses exceeded the grant amount by \$1,230.06.